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From

Chief, Superfund Implementation Group, CEH

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Subject

Lackawanna Refuse Site Lackawanna, Pennsylvania

To

Charles J. Walters Public Health Advisor EPA Region III

The sampling data from the above site which was provided by Mr. Bruce Potoka of the EPA Regional office has been reviewed within the Superfund Implementation Group, Centers for Disease Control. I hope the comments are useful:

- 1) The reviewers feel there is no apparent need to provide additional fencing around the seeps at the site. While there are substances present which should be considered for cleanup when possible, the remote nature of the seeps does not appear to present an immediate and significant threat to the residents in the area.
- 2) Frequent monitoring of the site should be maintained to detect any changes which might have impact upon the public. Such monitoring should include, in addition to sampling, a check of the signs and gates to warn those who enter that hazardous material is present.

We will be happy to review additional information on the site should you require it.

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